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**German Plan to Pit Mexico Against U. S. Never Reached
Carranza—Japan Denies Knowledge of Move—
Hint at German Agents in Cuba—
President for Action.**

Washington, March 1.—The house this afternoon adopted a rule for consideration of the armed neutrality bill by unanimous viva voce vote.

BY ROBERT J. BENDER,
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Washington March 1. — Ger-

many's attempt to align Mexico and Japan in a hostile conspiracy against the United States has been frustrated.

At the state department today it was intimated that so far as it known the letter of Germany's foreign secretary, Zimmerman, the authenticity